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VARIOUS MATTERS

Light vehicle lamps at 5:29 this evening.
The moon is in its first quarter at 8:02 this evening.

The K-2 and Worden have left New York for the Thames Navy Yard.

The snow of Sunday is packed down hard enough to make a foundation for good sleighing.

The day's length has increased 48 minutes, the additional sunlight being noticeable daily.

The river covers are frozen and boys were skating near the West Side bridge Saturday.

Friday is Candlemas Day, the accepted time for the holiday wreaths and similar decorations.

K. of C. whist Tuesday evening January 30 at their rooms Franklin street—adv.

Saturday's clear, cold weather brought out the shoppers, trading brisk and steady all the day and evening.

Seventy-two persons visited the Otis Library reading room Sunday afternoon. Miss Martha A. Ward was in charge.

The flowers at the pulpit in the Second Congregational church Sunday were in memory of Rev. Dr. L. L. West, a former pastor.

A New York house is to republish two volumes of short stories by the late E. J. Connelley, whose wife was Mrs. Connelley, of New London.

Ex-Governor O. Vincent Coffin, who has a number of personal friends in Norwich is ill and has been taken to the Middlesex hospital, Middletown.

Yesterday was Missionary Sunday at the Universalist church and Mrs. J. Cobb spoke regarding Japanese mission work during the Sunday school hour.

The British-American War Relief Fund, New York, of which Mrs. Lucy C. Whitridge is the acting president, acknowledged Sunday from Plainfield, Conn., \$35.

Extra hours were put in at the Red Cross room Saturday by a number of local leaders in this international charity, who were preparing and finishing up work.

At Niantic Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Beckwith of Grand street were surprised by a party of friends in honor of their 24th wedding anniversary Thursday evening.

The Connecticut Equal Suffrage membership campaign waged throughout the state for the last few months closed Friday with the Groton league in second place, it is believed.

Patriotic organizations are being notified that preparations have already begun for an observance in 1920 of the three hundredth anniversary of the landing of the Pilgrims.

The New Haven road signal gang which has been working at Saybrook, is now at work on the Middletown bridge, installing a new set of signals for the railroad on that structure.

Sold by the peck, potatoes in New London are now quoted at 75 cents for the 15 pounds and the grocers say the farmers are holding onto the stock in their bins in the hope of getting better prices.

On the closing day of the Middle-town Poultry show, the cup for the best display of pigeons went to Philip Marvay of Eastern Point and the cup for the best display of Belgian hares, to the Imperial Rabbitry, Taftville.

Savings institutions throughout the United States have joined in setting aside Saturday, Feb. 3, as Thrift Day. The plan is to have each institution make special efforts to open new savings accounts or add to amounts they already have on deposit.

Art students here learn that the fiftieth annual exhibition of the American Water Color Society is to be held at the National Art Club, New York. The exhibition opens to the public Thursday, Feb. 1, and will continue until Saturday, February 24.

The American Committee for Armenian and Syrian Relief, subscriptions to which are sent to Charles S. Crane, treasurer, 70 Fifth Avenue, New York, has received additional donations from the Congregational Sunday school at Hanover, Conn., \$31.

An institute for church workers is to be held in the Central Baptist church next Friday evening, Saturday afternoon and evening, all day Sunday. It will be conducted by Dr. William J. Sly, Director of Religious Education for Rhode Island and Connecticut.

Norwich friends are interested in the fact that Sister M. Therese (Hannah C. Leutz) who is an especially accomplished German scholar has been transferred to the Cathedral school, Hartford where she is teaching. She is an honor graduate of Norwich Free Academy.

In fighting the Baptist church fire at Thompson Saturday, good work was done by the old Vernon Siles hand-engine (1827). The Norwich Torment was built in 1769 and Chief H. L. Stanton's records show that it is the sixth oldest fire engine in the United States.

After 26 years of married life a divorce complaint was filed with the clerk of the superior court at Waterbury Saturday by Emma Passano, who requests that she be freed from Louis Passano, Intemperate and cruel. They were married in Williamstown in 1891, and Passano is now in Meriden.

Compensation Agreements.
Compensation agreements have been approved as follows:
A. J. D. D. D. and Joseph Landry, R. F. D. No. 6, Norwich, back of left hand crushed and lacerated on Dec. 15, \$8.50 weekly and expenses.
Fonemah Mills and Mary Jane Nolan, Taftville, first finger lacerated, second finger amputated at second joint Jan. 4. Compensation during incapacity for the first finger, twenty weeks for the loss of two-thirds of the second finger \$5 weekly.

Mr. Joseph Ward, Finance Minister of New Zealand, delivered an address in London recently. Discussing Imperial questions likely to arise after the war, Mr. Joseph said the people of the Overseas Dominions should have the right to a voice in the question as to whether the Empire was to go to war, in deciding the terms of peace, and what the naval defense of the Empire was to be. If they did not go for one great Empire Navy, under the control of the Admiralty, the needs of the Pacific would call for the establishment of a Pacific Navy owned by these countries that were immediately concerned, with England bearing a portion of the ownership.

PERSONALS

Mrs. George R. Fellows has returned from a visit with relatives in Mystic.

B. T. Smith and family of Hebron were guests of relatives in Norwich during the past week.

Miss Belle Strong of Colchester is visiting for a week with her sister, Mrs. J. W. Reynolds in Norwich.

Dr. Lillian M. Lynes of Norwich attended the meeting of the State Osteopathic association held in Hartford Saturday.

FUNERALS.

Mrs. Elijah B. Tracy.
The funeral of Jesse M. Tracy, widow of Elijah B. Tracy, was held on Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from her home at 45 Ann street. Rev. George H. Strouse, pastor of the First Baptist church, officiated. There was a large attendance of relatives and friends and there were many flowers. The bearers were John L. Perkins, William D. Ricker, Arthur L. Peale and Robert H. Montgomery. Burial was in Yantic cemetery. Rev. Mr. Strouse read a committal service at the grave.

Undertaker Gager was the funeral director.

Charles McGaffey.
The funeral of Charles McGaffey, who died at his home in Palmerton Wednesday after an illness of long duration, was held from his residence Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Services being performed by Rev. Frank Clark, pastor of the Union Baptist church. Mr. McGaffey was born in Rome, Me., 75 years ago and came to Montville when about 45 years of age, where he made a wide circle of friends. He was a veteran of the Civil war. Besides his wife, he leaves two sisters, Mrs. Charles Botnam and Mrs. Fred Thomas of Worcester, and a son, Charles, of Norwich. Interment was in Yantic cemetery. The bearers were Fred J. Hope, Albert Edmunds, Thomas Church and Dwight Keisley.

OBITUARY.

Mrs. Charles F. Smith.
At 6 o'clock Sunday morning, Lydia Chapman Smith, widow of Charles F. Smith, 82 years of age died, after a long illness.

Lydia Chapman Smith was born on Feb. 24, 1834, in Mohegan, where she spent the early part of her life but has lived in this city for many years.

On June 18, 1850 she was united in marriage with Charles F. Smith in this city by Rev. James Coley. Mr. Smith was an engineer on a boat, died at sea on March 24, 1870, with an attack of yellow fever and was buried at sea.

Mrs. Smith was a member of the Second Congregational church and she is survived by two sons and a daughter, Frank Q. Smith of Laurel Hill Avenue, Eugene P. Smith of New York and Mrs. F. E. Warner of Milford, Conn. There are also 15 grandchildren and 8 great-grandchildren.

Mrs. Luther A. Abby died about 1 o'clock Saturday morning at her home, 189 Montauk avenue, New London, at the age of 72 years. Mrs. Abby was born in Stafford and had resided in New London about 12 years. She was the daughter of Joseph L. and Ann S. Abby. She had been very active in the affairs of All Souls' church. Mrs. Abby suffered a shock of paralysis about four weeks ago and a second attack came two weeks later. She is survived by her husband.

James Tucker.
James Tucker passed peacefully away at his home in Sprague at 3 o'clock Saturday afternoon. He had been in failing health for the past few years and for the past seven weeks had been confined to his bed.

He was born in Sprague, Conn., Nov. 27, 1848, the son of Giles and Lucy Havens Tucker. He received his early education in the public schools in the town of Sprague.

He enlisted in the Eighteenth Conn. Infantry, Company J, and was honorably discharged at the close of the war in Franklin, Conn. Jan. 30, 1873. He was united in marriage with Ella Ingham. Twelve children were born of their union. His wife three children survive him: Nelson, George and Edward of South Windham and Mabel of Sprague.

He was a good husband and a loving father. He was a member of Sedgwick Post, G. A. R. of Norwich.

C. M. Shay Buys Mystic Plant.
The plant of the Mystic Rendering company on the New London road was sold at public auction Saturday to satisfy the claim of creditors. The plant was purchased by C. M. Shay, president of the C. M. Shay Fertilizer company, of Groton, for \$450.

The auction was conducted by Deputy Sheriff Manuel J. Martin at 11 o'clock. There were three bidders.

The plant was attached about two weeks ago for Charles Later, who had a claim for \$483, but the plant has been operating.

Willehad Honors Kaiser.
In celebration of the 58th birthday anniversary of Kaiser Wilhelm, flags were flying from stem to stern of the North German Lloyd liner Willehad at the state steamship terminal at New London Saturday. Outside of the display of hunting, no other formality marked the passing of the natal day of the German emperor. It is understood that in view of the military situation the Kaiser requested that his people throughout the world refrain from any special demonstration.

Official at Society Wedding.
Mrs. Belle L. Zabriske, widow of Alonzo M. Zabriske, the multi-millionaire and Lebbeus R. Willey, former judge of the United States Court for China, were married Saturday at 11 o'clock in the Episcopal church at Greenwich by Rev. Mr. George Thompson, who was a recent visitor in Norwich at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James L. Smith, on Broad street.

Attend Exemplification.
A large number of local Knights of Columbus attended the exemplification of the third degree at New London on Sunday afternoon. The degree was worked on 18 candidates and Deputy John P. Hannon of Jewett City was master of ceremonies.

No Word About Deutschland.
Officials of the Forwarding company are at this time in regard to questions as to the whereabouts of the Deutschland. While many reports of the submarine continue to be current, the officials spend their time in plans and work.

Hemo From Hospital.
William Stanley, who underwent an operation at the Backus hospital for an injury received while playing football, is now at his home at 41 Washington street. Mr. Stanley is still confined to his bed.

Two Year Old Boy Dead.
A two year old son of Joseph and Maria Stanley of Norwich died on Sunday afternoon. The child was born in Massachusetts.

Thomasson—The muzzling order in Thomasson went into effect Thursday.

Alexander Jordan Elected President

Will Head St. Patrick's Holy Name Society During Coming Twelve Months—Annual Meeting Held Sunday in Assembly Rooms—Members Vote Fifty Dollars Towards Charity Bazaar.

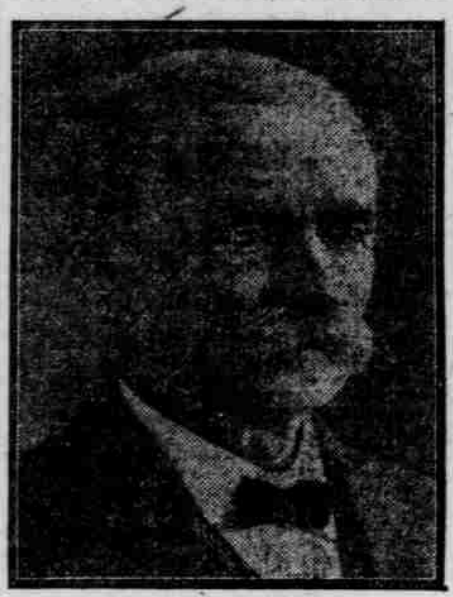
At their annual meeting on Sunday afternoon the members of the Holy Name society of St. Patrick's church elected a new board of officers for the coming 12 months. The meeting was held in the assembly rooms at 4 o'clock by the president, Thomas H. Beckley. After hearing the minutes of the previous meeting, and also hearing the reports of the officers, the election of officers took place, with the following result:

WILL OBSERVE HIS

83D BIRTHDAY TODAY
William S. Fletcher Hale and Hearty Will Entertain at Family Gathering

There will be a happy family reunion today at the home of William S. Fletcher of Oneco street, who will celebrate his 83rd birthday.

Mr. Fletcher at 83 is in the best of health, very bright and active for a man of his years and only a year or so ago he retired from active business life after conducting a grocery store at the Falls for a number of years.



WILLIAM S. FLETCHER

years. He has a keen memory and can readily recall Norwich as it looked when he was a boy. At present Mr. Fletcher takes a great delight in seeing the movies.

William Sterry Fletcher was born on January 29, 1833, on the West Side near the present site of the Central Union railroad station. The son of Eliza Lamphere and Joseph T. Fletcher, who was a sea captain. Like his father, Mr. Fletcher took a liking to the sea and for a number of years he followed the life of the sea. In 1843 Mr. Fletcher first entered in the grocer business, and later he was employed in the old pistol shop at the Falls.

For about 35 years he was employed by the Falls Co. at one time he was paymaster for the company.

He was united in marriage with Sarah Jewett who died 16 years ago. For 23 years Mr. Fletcher has occupied the house where he now resides.

FINED LIQUOR DEALERS

IN THE CITY COURT
H. B. Davenport and Eugene McCarty Pay \$100 and Costs Each.

Judge John H. Barnes fined H. B. Davenport and Eugene McCarty \$100 and costs for violation of the liquor law at a session of the city court Saturday.

The bills each amounted to \$138.93 and they were paid. Mr. McCarty pleaded not guilty to violating the excise law on two counts. State Police Arthur Pinnel, William Sedwick and A. L. Rudd were witnesses.

Six tardy tax payers were before the court.

Crowd Patronizes Supper.
The chicken pie supper given by the ladies of the Methodist church at Unionville was a success. A large crowd attended, the supper was excellent and everyone seemed well pleased with the entertainment that followed.

A motion picture by Edith Austin, Agnes Egglestone, Sarah Benson, Sarah Botham and Edna Egglestone was very pleasing. Mrs. E. C. Curdiss read and David Carley entertained for the next half hour with sleight of hand.

Gift of 600 Volumes.
The Connecticut college library has received a notable gift of 600 volumes from the estate of the late Mrs. J. N. Harris. The gift is essentially valuable not only because it contains many important reference books and sets of standard fiction but also because it includes numerous books on local history, The History of New London, and another on The Battle of Groton Heights, for instance.

For Charles Board.
Governor Holcomb sent to the senate nominations or members of the state board of charities for four years from July 1, 1917, as follows: Edwin A. Down, Hartford; Martha H. C. Mitchell, Norwich; Mary A. Wise of Hartford, Mrs. Wise takes the place of Mrs. Anna C. Walter of Middletown.

Village Coal Arrived.
The annual coal supply for use of Groton was delivered last week, as season by Nelson S. Allen, arrived last week, several months behind schedule time. The coal, which was shipped directly from the mines, arrived by box car.

Certificates of Disposition.
A final certificate of disposition has been filed with the state secretary by the Williamamite Garage Co., Inc., of Windham. It was signed by John Leonard, Jr., and Maurice S. Leonard.

Humane Society Annual.
The annual meeting of the Connecticut Humane society will be held in the assembly rooms at Hartford Tuesday. Reports will be read and directors will be elected.

In Happy Texas.
The winter wheat is green and neat. The winter oats and winter wheat will be our main crops. Come to see—Bellevue News.

A device for counting ordinary vehicles being automobiles, as possible the plan camera is being used. The invention of an 11 year old child.

The weekly largest artificial harbor is planned. Belvidere, N. H. will be 25 feet deep and cover 100 acres.

OMNIBUS BILL ASKS

FOR BIG APPROPRIATION.
Measure if Passed Would Create an Important Commission.

The establishment of an important commission at a cost of \$3,000,000, and creating offices the annual salaries of which would aggregate \$40,000, was provided in a voluminous bill introduced in the senate by Senator Frederick A. Bartlett of Bridgeport.

"The agricultural and public welfare commission" would be created by the passage of the bill, and the commission would have 12 members, three agrarians, three manufacturers, three employees of manufacturers, two trustees of State Agricultural college and one woman qualified in social welfare work. The salaries of each of them would be \$4,000, except the chairman, who would receive \$5,000.

Power would be given the commission to establish a state bank, to make farm loans, to investigate dairy conditions, to establish nurseries, to provide for towns of not less than 5,000 inhabitants appropriations equal to the amount voted by the towns for road improvement, to conduct experiments to aid farmers and stock raisers, to conduct a free employment bureau in connection with the labor bureau, and to license and supervise co-operative societies.

The passage of the bill would make it legal for farmers to form pools for the disposal of farm products and fixing of prices and would provide for connection with the telephone and power lines without expense to the petitioners.

In order to raise the appropriation of \$3,000,000 a 2 per cent. tax would be laid each year on all land used for farm purposes and all employees on farms where five or more are employed would be taxed at the rate of three cents a week for each employee. The senate referred the bill to the judiciary committee.

MOOSUP SPEAKER AT

Y. M. C. A. MEN'S MEETING
Rev. A. H. Withee Addressed Gathering in Thayer Building Store.

Rev. A. H. Withee, of Moosup, was the speaker at the men's meeting at the Thayer building yesterday and a good sized audience greeted him.

One of the most enterprising gun clubs in the middle west is the Automobile Gun club of Kansas City, Mo. This club is a branch of the Automobile club of Kansas City. The aim of the officers is to make it the largest gun club in the world, and they are going at it in the right way.

Larry Gardner, third baseman of the Boston Americans, has rigged up a hand trap on the fender of his automobile, and he gets a lot of sport out of the sport of shooting by trying to break the clay birds while the car is in motion.

There is a new trapphoooter in Portland.

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COMES IN THIS SHAPE

The selections by Swahn's orchestra were unusually fine and the whole service was greatly enjoyed.

RABIES AMONG DOGS

IN STATE INCREASES
Three Cases Have Been Reported to Commissioner on Domestic Animals

Jeffrey O. Phelps, Jr., commissioner of domestic animals, reports a number of cases of rabies in the state. One case, each, has been reported from Burlington, Hamden and New Milford and, in each case, the custom is for muzzling dogs will be issued. The report from Burlington said that nine dogs had been bitten by a dog having rabies. Fifty-one dogs suffered with the disease have been killed since the middle of December according to Phelps. 19 towns have received the order to muzzle all dogs. Only four persons have been bitten by dogs having rabies.

PRODUCTION OF "THE GERMAN HAMMERSMITH" IN BERLIN
For the Benefit of the German Relief Fund—A Great Success.

Berlin, Jan. 28.—(Wireless to Sayville).—"The German Hammersmith" a patriotic theatrical production for the benefit of the German relief fund, was produced today for the first time, and, according to the Overseas News Agency, was a great success. Crown Prince Frederick William and other royal princes, James W. Gerard, the American ambassador and many persons prominent in politics and the arts attended. Ten thousand marks was said by a patron for one of the boxes.

EXPLOSION WAS EIGHT MILES EAST OF LONDON
Was Not at Woolwich Arsenal—Recent Arrivals as Assort.

New York, Jan. 28.—Passengers arriving here tonight from Liverpool on the American Line steamer St. Louis were in London on the night of January 19, when a large munition factory exploded, causing the death of 13 persons, asserted that a disaster occurred, not at Woolwich Arsenal, as was at first believed, but at Silvertown, about seven or eight miles east of London on the Great Eastern Railway.

Have Ample Warnings.
An automobile manufacturer estimates that as many as 5,000,000 machines will be in use in the United States by 1920. Pedestrians thus have ample warning to keep on practicing the quickest—providence journal.

The weekly largest artificial harbor is planned. Belvidere, N. H. will be 25 feet deep and cover 100 acres.

S. N. E. POULTRY ASSOCIATION

ELECTS NEW OFFICERS
Henry C. Fuller is President For the Ensuing Twelve Months.

The annual meeting of the Southern New England Poultry association was held in Groton, with a good attendance of members. Encouraging reports for the past year were presented. The following officers were elected:

President, Henry C. Fuller; secretary, H. W. Schriver; treasurer, Henry D. Lovett; first vice president, Thomas Fowler; second vice president, E. A. Rowley; third vice president, Charles H. Denison; fourth vice president, M. M. Thomas; fifth vice president, H. E. Beebe; directors, Thomas Fowler, Eugene Leachey, Charles H. Denison, H. N. Barker, Thomas W. Pollard, John Lock and Frank Cumpstone; auditors, Robert J. Shovlin, Groton; George H. Swain, Old Mystic; show committee, Michael Scario, C. H. Denison, Eugene Leachey, E. A. Rowley, and Temple, Thomas Fowler, Frank Cumpstone, E. S. Burt and Henry A. Congdon.

Incidents In Society

Miss Barbara Smith of Washington was entertained at dinner Friday evening in honor of her 11th birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver L. Johnson left Saturday for Castle Hot Springs, Arizona, to the West Hogan shoot, planning to be absent two months.

Miss Anna L. Ely returned Friday evening from Washington street after a week's absence during which she visited her brother, William G. Ely, and family in Schenectady, N. Y. Her mother, Miss Augusta Greene, is in New York city.

The engagement is announced of Miss Florence Anna Backus, daughter of Mrs. Sarah G. and the late Asa Backus, of Norwich, to Kenneth Niles Hillhouse, son of Mr. and Mrs. James W. Hillhouse, of Williamstown. An engagement party was given for Miss Backus by her mother and aunt Saturday evening.

CHIPS FROM THE CLAYS.

(By Peter P. Carney, Editor of National Sports Syndicate.)

The Interstate association will give \$500 to the West Hogan shoot beginning in 1917—the same as they give to the subsidiary handicaps.

Pacific coast trapphoooters appealed to the Interstate association to sanction tournaments on Sunday, and the Interstate association granted the request. Hereafter tournaments will be sanctioned on Sunday, where the blue laws do not interfere.

Portland, Ore., is the only city in the United States that has a trophy competition in which only 20 gauge guns are allowed.

A suggestion has been offered by a game official that the season on deer and other kinds of game be regulated by an open and closed season alternating. The suggestion is one of merit.

The Keystone Gun club of Rahway, N. J., has passed out of existence and in its stead the New York Division Gun club of Manhattan, Transfer is operating. The traps are at Newark, N. J.

There are 33 trapphoooter organizations on the lines of the Pennsylvania Railroad company.

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